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PASSED AWAY.

Hon. John G. Sinclair Died
Tuesday Night.

Was Stopping At His Summer
Home In Bethlehem, N. H.

He Was Well-Known In The Business
and Political World.

BETHLEHEM, N. H., June 27.—Hon. John G. Sinclair, a prominent citizen and politician, and father of the late Col. Charles A. Sinclair, died at his summer home here this evening, aged seventy-three years. He was three times the democratic nominee for governor of New Hampshire and was at one time a nominee for United States senator. He had represented his town eight times in the state legislature and was one of the best-known residents of northern New Hampshire. Mr. Sinclair has made his home for the past four years in Orlando, Fla.

The Hon. Mr. Sinclair was last seen in Portsmouth at the funeral of his son, Col. Sinclair, in April. He was at that time in feeble health, and Col. Sinclair's death undoubtedly hastened his own demise.

Mr. Sinclair was highly esteemed in this city, and had always shown a lively interest in Portsmouth. He had frequently entertained his friends at his summer home in Bethlehem, and as often had favored them with shipments of the luscious oranges which are produced yearly in his large grove in Florida.

THE INTERVIEWER.

"Why do some of the fellows always sell their wheels after the second season and then buy a new one? Is not the old wheel as good or are they too proud to ride it?" asked a novice in wheeling, of a local bicycle dealer. "The best answer that can be given," replied the dealer, is the fact that after two seasons wear the best bicycle on the market will begin to need so many repairs that it will be almost impossible to keep it in good condition. The tires will begin to leak and the bearings are so worn that they have to be replaced. Perhaps, too there is more satisfaction in running a new and up-to-date wheel, but every old rider finds it less expensive to the pocketbook to run a new wheel than an old one, and there is a thousand times more sport in wheeling to have a wheel in good condition than to ride one that is forever wearing out and needing repairs."

"Did you know the society doctors have devised a new disease?" queried a Portsmouth youth who trots in the society class, "They have. They call it the silk petticoat wrist. It attacks only young women, and consists of a painful swelling of the wrist, induced by holding up their skirts in order to display the elaborate underskirts fashion dictates. Some of our Portsmouth girls have contracted it."

The general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. said, "The Y. M. C. A. tent at camp last week had a daily average attendance of five hundred persons, and meetings were held nightly. There were over eight hundred letters written there by the boys during the five days' tour of duty."

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.

The annual picnic of the Sunday school connected with the Middle street Baptist church was held today at York Beach. It was well attended by teachers and pupils. The party left on the 8:20 ferry this morning and returning will leave the beach at 5 o'clock.

ORDERED HOME FROM CAVITE.

Pharmacist I. N. Hurd, U. S. N., formerly on duty at this station and who has been at Cavite in the Philippines for several months, has been ordered home. He will be given duty in this vicinity upon his return here.

TEA TABLE TALK.

A JUNE JINGLE.

"First time for white cloth and a book—
A hammock in a shady nook—
A little breeze—
Among the trees—
The tinkle of a shining brook,
And there to sit—
With dreams to dream—
And watch the clouds sail through the sky,
And never think of the by-and-by.
Lie there and let
The others fret,
While you all ease and strife forget,
Just read two pages in the book—
Then put it by,
And shut your eyes
And go to sleep in the shady nook."

I wonder if the fellows who strike it rich out in the Klondike will show sense in the use of their gold or blow it in just as so many did in the old days of the Colorado mining craze. It will probably be the same old story with two thirds of them.

One of the few men who panned out well in Leadville, back in '79 and '80, was Peter Finnerty. He was also one of the few who retained their fortune for any considerable period. He made three-quarters of a million in the Little Chief, Frenchman and Belgian mines, and died worth \$500,000 in bank. He went to Leadville when it was California Gulch in 1878.

He found there ex Senator Tabor running a mountain grocery; George Fryer, who discovered the Carbonate mine, and in whose honor Fryer Hill was named; P. J. Kelly, Jack McComb of the Highland Chief and Maid of Erin mines; John Shea, Dr. Smith, the first postmaster; General Bierce of the Little Pittsburgh; the Marshalls of the Robert E. Lee; Capt. George Dailey, the Dillon Brothers, W. A. Bush, C. O. Howell, E. I. Cavanaugh and a few others. The great rush had not then begun. Going prospecting on his own hook, he discovered the Little Chief. Not realizing its great worth he took the two Dillons in as equal partners to assist in developing the property. Chicago capitalists had in the meantime been attracted to the camp, and a syndicate bonded the mine for \$300,000. It was so rich that before they could bring on the money from the East the original owners took out \$50,000 worth of mineral.

That was Pete Finnerty's first real start in life. He went back to Iowa to one of the river towns where he had formerly worked as a roustabout, and settled \$10,000 on his two widowed sisters. He had married at one time in his career, and his wife had left him and procured a divorce, so she was unable to share in his good fortune. Finnerty returned to Leadville, continued his mining operations and lived a life of royal extravagance. For a couple of years it is doubtful if he and a couple dozen of his bonanza companions of the carbonate country knew water as a beverage. It was champagne in the morning, at all hours of the day and the last thing at night.

On one of his periodical visits to Denver, Finnerty became engaged in a broil and shot a man. Reeling into his hotel he astonished the clerk by saying as he fumbled with his key: "I have shot a man. If it costs anything to do that kind of business down here just send the bill to my room." Just how many claim jumpers and mine sharks Finnerty assisted in sending "across the range" in those days will never be known. Lynchings were quite frequent, and when it became necessary to deal out swift and speedy justice, the best citizens in Leadville, from the Mayor and aldermen down, took a hand.

A great number of the pioneer prospectors and miners who became enriched with Finnerty during the flush days of the camp either met violent deaths, perished penniless, or have long since become as poor as church mice. George Fryer lived like a prince a couple of years ago. When in New York he would frequently squander \$1,000 a night. No extravagance or dissipation was too costly for him. Finally, down to his last dollar, he committed suicide in Denver by taking a dose of laudanum. General Bierce was shot and killed; Captain Dailey was slain by the villainous Apaches; Howell turned bankrupt, failed for a quarter of a million and fled between two days; Kelly and Shea went to the dogs; Dr. Smith lost his office early in the eighties, and the Dillons and Marshalls have dropped out of sight. Of the old crowd, Tabor and Colonel John Atkins are about the sole survivors. The ex-Senator is not so rich

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as he was by a few millions, but the latter is proprietor of the Rocky Mountain News, the Democratic daily of Colorado, and is worth \$250,000.

There is one chap up in the Klondike who will not dissipate his gold foolishly, should he be fortunate enough to strike a paying vein. He is Edward F. Partridge of Manchester, a former newspaper man. "Ed" was my confrere on the Manchester Mirror for two years, and I know that for stick-to-itiveness and pluck he cannot be beaten in the confines of New England.

This hardy, honest man with the clear eyes, fearless heart and warm and willing hand will never leave the Klondike, I am sure, until he has made his stake. And when he does finally come out of that country of death and despair, he will take good care that his dust shall last him as long as possible. His wife and children are patiently waiting for him in Manchester, and so are his many friends and old newspaper chums, to clasp him by the hand and congratulate him on his success.

If there is any gold out there at all, Partridge will find it. I hope he may come back loaded down from head to heel with the yellow stuff. He is a mighty good fellow and deserves better luck than has befallen him in the past. Fogg.

NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Globe Grocery Co.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY ABOUT IT.

Thousands of people watched the trial trip of the first electric car ever run through the streets of Portsmouth yesterday. Better late than never. Skeptics who said that Portsmouth would never have an electric road are now silenced.—Concord Monitor.

Portsmouth's first electric made its trial trip yesterday. There was such excitement as the big Forerough-Sells show id no cause.—Biddeford Record

NEW LIBERTY BRIDGE FLAG POLE GOES UP.

In the presence of hundreds of interested spectators, the handsome new flag pole was put up at Liberty bridge this morning, between ten and eleven o'clock. There were no formal exercises, but Charlie Gray gave a martial drill to the occasion by firing a salute from his field piece on Four Tree island.

The new pole is a beauty, and the bronzed cap piece, with its noble eagle, makes a fine showing. The residents around the bridge are very proud of this new ornament to their neighborhood.

KISSED, AND MADE UP.

Mrs. Jennie Philbrick of Boston, who came down here Tuesday and had her husband arrested at Rye for non-support, (as exclusively told in Tuesday's Herald) conferred with him at the police station here in the afternoon and as a result they agreed to live together once more in harmony.

They were married in the provinces fifteen years ago and Mr. Philbrick claims that his wife left him in Boston sometime ago and refused to live with him. He claims to have been desirous of supporting her, but refused to do so if they lived apart.

HOW TO ENJOY CAMPING.

Don't go in for camping out on a grand plan, but get a comfortable camp and don't forget plenty of provender.

When boiled shirts have been laid aside and old togs do down a world of pleasure is open to the vacationist.

Fellows should get their best girls to give them a few lessons in cooking before going so that they can get their own meals. It is safe to say that they will go hungry, at least for the first few days, unless mother has sent along a supply of food already cooked.

PERSONALS

Trag M. Norris was in Boston today.

Mr. J. C. Simpson of Boston is in town today.

Naval Constructor Lawrence has returned from Bath.

The Misses Mason were in town from York Harbor today.

The Rev. William Warren and wife are at Hadding today.

John G. Tobey has opened his summer cottage at Newington.

Miss Helen Hanson is the guest of relatives in South Berwick, Me.

Capt. Smart of the Boar's Head Life Saving station was in town today.

Mrs. Frank Jones and Mrs. Charles A. Sinclair leave for Sorrento today.

Miss Isabel Jacobs of Malden, Mass., is the guest of friends on Middle street.

Mrs. H. L. Bartlett of Eliot, formerly of Portsmouth, was visiting in town today.

Mr. James Quartz of Boston is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. George Leith of Hanover street.

Messrs. W. I. Drake and Fred Colbath wheeled to Exeter on Tuesday and spent the night.

Miss Eria Gibbs of Chelsea, Mass., is the guest of Miss Mildred Barnto, in town for a few days.

Mrs. Sarah J. Hanson of Myrtle avenue has returned from a pleasant visit in Providence, Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Washington Brown quietly observed the fortieth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday.

No need to fear sudden attacks of cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea, or summer complaint if you have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the medicine chest.

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HIT BY STRAY SHOT.

A Cuban Planter Dies From the Effects of a Bullet.

AMERICANS IN DRUNKEN ROW

Cubans Are Very Indignant and General Wilson and Civil Governor Gomez Will Make an Investigation

General Wilson Very Popular in Matanzas and Santa Clara Provinces on Account of His Interest in the Agricultural Element—Cuban Soldier Gets Roughly Handled.

Havana, June 27.—The Cuban press expresses great indignation over the row that occurred at Cienfuegos between a number of Americans and Cuban policemen. The trouble began in a house of ill-repute, where the Americans created a disturbance. The police interfered and a fight followed, both sides using revolvers. It is alleged by Cubans that the guard of six soldiers in front of Major Hafferty's pay office also fired on the crowd. Pablo Santa Maria, a sugar planter, who was passing in a coach, was hit by a bullet and died yesterday. Col. Randall ordered two companies of troops out and stopped the riot. Two Americans have been arrested.

Gen. Wilson, the commander of the department, and Civil Governor Gomez have gone to Cienfuegos to investigate the matter, as the Cubans are very indignant. The affair, which was simply a drunken row, is being used by the Cuban newspapers and agitators to prove that the Americans are hostile to the Cuban people, and are looking for trouble with them. The Cuban people are peculiarly sensitive at this time, and are inclined to take offense at everything indicating the least hostility.

A demonstration in honor of Gen. Wilson is being arranged at Sancti Spiritus. He is very popular in both Matanzas and Santa Clara provinces, which comprise his military jurisdiction. His work on behalf of the farming interests has been of great benefit. At Termino and Sancti Spiritus alone 900 small farms have been reclaimed since Gen. Wilson took command of the department, and the farmers can now support themselves and their families. Gen. Wilson is anxious to do more, but the present conditions are not favorable, as his scheme to have the Government loan money to the farmers, with their property as security, is deemed impracticable by Gen. Brooke.

At La Punta a Cuban soldier, Quintan Hernandez, presented himself for payment, but did not receive any money because his name was not spelled correctly on the lists. A policeman wished to arrest him, evidently thinking that he was attempting to obtain money under false pretences. Soldiers of Hernandez's regiment ordered him to leave the region on behalf of the farming interests that he was really a soldier. The policeman however, did not listen, and summoned other officers to aid him in making the arrest. Some of the policemen chided Hernandez, who fought back with the butt of his gun, knocking several of the policemen down. The Cuban soldiers then took an active part in the row, charging the policemen with their guns. American soldiers were promptly on hand and restored order. Later Col. Randall released Hernandez, for which the Cubans are very grateful. Four other Cubans who attempted to impose on Col. Randall by representing themselves as soldiers were promptly arrested by the Americans.

Roosevelt Starts Homeward. Las Vegas, N. M., June 27.—Governor Roosevelt left here amid the playing of bands and cheering of a large crowd. The features of the parade were the Rough Riders, the "Caroline Rough Riders" battalion of small boys, Toas Indians, the Chinaman Band and a boy band from Silver City. The parade was a mile long, and crowds stretching out for three miles cheered the Rough Riders at every point.

Havana's Health. Havana, June 27.—Gen. Ludlow, governor of the department of Havana, has recommended the removal of the marines from their present quarters at the wharf, believing the locality to be unhealthy, but he does not believe their removal to the navy yard would improve matters. He considers the worst part of the city is the section adjoining the old Spanish Military Hospital and favors the marines being kept aloft.

Dewey Going to Halifax? Boston, June 27.—The "Herald" says that Admiral Dewey will visit Boston and be entertained here before he goes to New York, this forecast being based on the reported statement of the United States Consul General at Halifax that he had received word direct from Washington that the Olympia would make Halifax its first American stopping place.

Three to Be Hanged for One Crime. Baltimore, June 27.—Cornelius Gardner, Charles and John Myers, all colored, have been sentenced to be hanged for assaulting thirteen-year-old Annie Bailey, also colored. Governor Lowndes may set July 28 for the execution of the trio and in that event there will be a quartette of negroes to pay the life penalty on that day.

Arrested on Another Charge. Columbus, Ohio, June 27.—The Sheriff of Warren County called at the prison here and took Charles Shaw, who had completed a two-year term from Clinton County for burglary and larceny, back to Warren County, to stand trial for stealing a horse.

Dead Baby in a Cistern. Winchester, Ky., June 27.—Workmen cleaning a cistern on the farm of Hub Stevens, near Beckersville, fished out the body of a fully developed white male child wrapped in an old shawl.

NEBRASKA'S LABOR LAW.

Retail Stores Object to Provision Regarding Women Clerks' Hours.

Omaha, June 27.—The provision made by the last Nebraska Legislature in favor of women clerks promises to provoke more trouble than all the efforts of labor agitators in the past in this State. The new law prohibits the employment of women in retail stores, wholesale establishments, factories, manufacturing concerns, for more than ten hours a day. It is made obligatory on the part of proprietors to provide seats for all employees. A fine of not more than \$50 and not less than \$20 is to be imposed in each case where a failure to observe the law is proved. It is made the duty of the Deputy Labor Commissioner to see that the law is properly enforced.

The law goes into effect on July 1, but it has attracted very little attention among the clerks whom it is supposed to benefit most. The large retail stores of this city and Lincoln, however, think that the law works a positive injury, since they are not warranted in employing an extra force for the Saturday night trade, which is the only time that their interests conflict with the time provision of the act. The managers of most of the big concerns think they should be permitted to employ female labor more than ten hours a day by paying for the excess time put in, but the law does not allow this to be done. It is predicted on all sides that the effect will be to drive a large number of girls out of employment.

It is the general opinion among business men that the latter will adjust itself when once the law is in operation. The State Labor Bureau Commissioners say that they will strictly enforce the provisions of the law and will prosecute all violators.

Texas Cattle Trust.

Austin, Tex., June 27.—The formation and operation of the Cattle Trust in this State is being watched with interest by Attorney-General Smith. Under the existing Anti-Trust law the stock and agricultural industries are exempt from the operation of the measure, but the new Anti-Trust law, which will go into effect on Jan. 31, 1900, contains no such exemption, and if the combination of capital for the control of the prices of cattle is in existence in Texas at that time the alleged trust will be prosecuted.

Advices were received here that the syndicate has obtained options on the following ranches and cattle in the Panhandle country: Johnson Brothers, embracing over 500,000 acres of land owned and leased in Loving and Winkler counties, and about 70,000 head of cattle; C. C. Slaughter whose ranches are in Midland, Crane, Upton and Ward counties, and about 100,000 head of cattle; also the ranches and cattle of John Scharbauer, A. B. Robertson, Winfield Scott, Chas. W. Gamble, Crowder Brothers, Long Brothers and R. C. Ware. These are the cattle kings of Texas, and the aggregate number of cattle owned by them is about 800,000 head.

Laborers Scarce.

Reading, June 27.—Living to the unprecedented boom in iron, iron, limestone and kindred interests in the Schuylkill Valley, labor has become alarmingly scarce. Farmers will have great difficulty in taking in their crops. Truck gardeners are now pressing married women into service for berry picking. The single girls are all in the silk and hosiery mills and cigar factories. There will not be near enough men for the hay and grain harvest. Iron men are putting up shanties to house hundreds of foreigners they have employed at the New York office to do heavy work about the furnaces. Farmers are hunting about for help. Wages may go higher than \$1.25 a day and board, which will be an additional hardship at the present price of wheat. The farmers paid only a dollar a bushel, when wheat was \$1.50 a bushel. The District Attorney has served notice on thirty husbands charged with non-support of wives that "no work" will be absolutely no excuse in court at the coming term.

Captain Barker's Return.

Washington, June 27.—Rear Admiral Watson has notified the Navy Department that Capt. A. S. Barker, who succeeded Admiral Dewey in command of the Asiatic squadron, and subsequently relinquished it to Admiral Watson, sailed for the United States on the mail steamer which left Manila on Friday last.

In His Despatch.

In his despatch Admiral Watson said that Lieut. Marble had been appointed his Flag Lieutenant and Ensign Watson his aide.

Spytun Duvvel Badly Shaken.

Brooklyn, N. Y., June 27.—Spytun Duvvel was shaken by a terrific explosion following the accidental discharge of 500 pounds of dynamite. The explosion was the result of a report of the explosion is remarkable for persons two miles away were knocked down, roofs were torn from buildings, glass was shattered in every direction and altogether damage to the extent of \$30,000 was done.

Murder Has Occurred.

Toledo, Ohio, June 27.—Trouble is feared with the negroes of the B. and O. construction train near Siam, a small city in Seneca County. A murder has already occurred and the assailant escaped. The negroes got in a fight among themselves and several of them seriously wounded. The citizens of Siam are fearful of an outbreak and are taking precautionary measures.

Set His Clothes on Fire.

Bellefonte, N. J., June 27.—Henry Hess, 2 years old, was fatally burned at the home of his parents in John street. While playing with other children in the cellar he found a box of matches and set them all ablaze. His dress caught fire and he ran to the street, a mass of flames. John Lotus of Newark extinguished the blaze, but too late to save the lad's life.

To Tear Down China's Wall.

Denver, Colo., June 27.—According to Frank Lewis, a Chicago civil engineer, now in this city, the Chinese Government contemplates the destruction of the ancient Chinese Wall that separates China proper from Chinese Tartary. He is en route to China to get the contract for a Chicago syndicate.

READ, MARK, LEARN.

Some Portsmouth Questions That Can All Be Answered With One Reply.

Why is it that in Portsmouth and its suburbs, with a combined population of 10,000 there is only one medicinal preparation which gives statements from residents to back up its representations? Why is it that Doan's Kidney Pills do this in Portsmouth as well as in every other city and town of any importance in the United States?

Why is it that there are advertised in every newspaper a dozen remedies and only one can supply a local proof, local endorsement of its claims? (The solution of the problem. Only one remedy has the curing and the staying power.)

Other remedies make all kinds of claims, but the editors get local proof, but the attempt ends in producing a statement or two from places, that as far as Portsmouth is concerned, might as well be in the moon.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by

Mr. George W. Lord of 44 Congress street, says: "I was troubled with my kidneys but occasionally I had an attack of lame back and pain in the loins. The last was caused from simply moving a small stand, as I was retiring for the night. I felt it all through me, causing a sort of nausea, a disagreeable sensation in the head, tenderness over the loins, backache and trouble with the kidney secretions. At first the pain was acute, then it settled down to a dull, gliding ache. I happened to read something about Doan's Kidney Pills a remedy for backache and kidney trouble. The recommendations were so positive and the representations so convincing I concluded to try them, and I went to Philbrick's pharmacy and got a box. I only took a few doses before they relieved me. The second night after using them I was able to sleep soundly the whole time. I was quite free from the aching, lameness and other inconveniences. I have no hesitation in recommending such valuable remedy and allowing you to use me as a reference."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

HE GOT THEM.

Individuality as it stands out in a Country Town.

Individuality is lost sight of in the cities. It is swallowed up, as it were in the mob. In a village it stands out with surprising distinctness. The odd characters of the place are known to everybody, and their queer sayings and doings are told from mouth to mouth.

In a certain town not a great way from Cleveland there are probably as many of these peculiar people as any place of its size can boast. One of these is an ancient man who longs for the good old times that followed the war, and is a firm believer in the criminal weakness of the present financial system. He is a man of considerable property, but his nerves are so economical that he never spends a penny that didn't go for some actual necessity.

There is another character in the town who keeps the village general store. He is a good-hearted fellow who after a long course of bachelorhood, finally married. In this little town it is the custom for the happy bridegroom to set up the cigars for all the congratulating males who drop in to wish him joy. So the bridegroom in this instance had a box on the counter, and most of his patrons were regaled from it.

Pretty soon the ancient gentleman first referred to lounged in. The storekeeper who felt friendly to all the world just then, pushed the box toward the newcomer.

"Have a cigar, Uncle Jim," he smilingly said.

"Uncle Jim looked at the box and looked at the storekeeper.

"What's this for?" he asked.

"The storekeeper slightly blushed.

"Been gettin' married," he answered.

"Eh?"

"Been gettin' married," he answered.

"Who's 'you'?"

"Yep me."

"An' you're standin' treat, eh?"

"Yep," said the storekeeper.

"How much did these seegars cost ye, Ah?" he inquired.

"Oh," replied the storekeeper, "they cost me about 4 cents. They're 'nicked cigars'."

"The old man dropped the cigar back in the box. Then his gaze wandered around the store.

"Well, Ah," he slowly drawled, "if it's all the same to you I'll take a pound o' nails!"

And he got them.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cause for Retirement.

"What's the matter with Holland? I hear he's laid up."

"Yes, he bought his wife a chafing dish a couple of weeks ago."

"But surely that isn't responsible for his illness? Why that fellow can eat anything."

"Oh, it wasn't anything that he ate. She hit him over the head with it."

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by George Hill Drug at Portsmouth, N. H.

For Over Fifty Years.

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Scald head is an eczema of the scalp.

very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

THE PHILIPPINE WAR.

Gen. Otis Sends Full Information as to the Situation.

NATIVE FORCES SCATTERED.

Encouraged By Reports of the Overthrow of the McKinley Administration. Wet Season's Arrival.

Help From a Change of Policy By the United States Their Only Hope—Much Contentment Prevails Among Them and No Civil Government—Sickness of Our Troops Increased.

Washington, June 27.—Gen. Otis, in reply to a cable from the war department asking for information regarding the situation and conditions in the Philippines, has cabled a long reply, as follows:

"Adjutant General, Washington: 'Rainy season. Little inland campaigning possible in Luzon. We occupy large portion Tagalog country, lines stretching from Iloilo south to San Fernando, north nearly sixty miles and to eastward into Laguna province. Insurgent armies have suffered great losses and are scattered; only large force held together about four thousand in Tarlac province and northern Pangasinana. Their scattered forces in bands of fifty or five hundred in other portions Luzon; in Cavite and in Batangas provinces could assemble possibly two thousand, though demoralized from recent defeats; masses of people terrorized by insurgent soldiers, desire peace and American protection; no longer flee on approach of our troops, unless forced by insurgents, but gladly welcome them; no recent burning of towns; population within our lines becoming dense, taking up land cultivation extensively; kept out Manila much as possible, as city population becoming too great to be cared for. Natives southeast Luzon combining to drive out insurgents; only hope insurgent leaders in United States aid. They claim near overthrow present administration, to be followed by their independence, which enables them to hold out; much contention prevails among them and no civil government remains; trait with persons not in our possession, former source insurgent revenue, now interdicted; not certain of wisdom of this policy, as people in those parts are without supply of food and merchants suffering losses; meditate restoring trade privileges, although insurgents reap benefits. Courts here in successful operation under directions of able Filipinos. Affairs in other islands comparatively quiet, awaiting results in Luzon. All anxious for trade and repeated calls for American troops received. Am giving attention to Jolo Archipelago and Palawan Islands. Our troops have worked to limit of endurance. Volunteer organizations have been called in; replaced by regulars, who now occupy salient positions. Nebraska, Pennsylvania and Utah now taking transports, and sixth infantry sent to N. O. for relief. California. These troops in good physical condition; sickness among troops has increased lately, due mostly to arduous services and climatic influences. Nothing alarming. Of the 12 per cent of the command reported sick nearly 6 in general hospital, of whom 3 per cent have typhoid and 17 malarial fevers; 25 per cent have continuing troubles remaining 55 per cent. have various ailments, 14 of which are due to wound injuries. Many officers and men who served in Cuba break under recurrence of Cuban fever, and regular regiments lately received are inadequately officered."

The inadequacy mentioned in the part of the above cablegram has been remedied by the sailing of the transports Zealandia and Sheridan, carrying a number of officers for regiments in the Philippines.

Adj. Gen. Corbin says that all officers belonging to the regiments in the Philippines who are not absent on account of a surgeon's certificate are under orders to join their regiments at once. Forty-four have sailed on the recent transports going from Manila.

Child Burned to Death.

Burlington, Mich., June 27.—A negro woman, Amanda Davis, kindled a fire in her kitchen oven. The wood therein was too long and the ends projected out of the door. She went to chat with a neighbor and left her 4-year-old child playing in the kitchen. During her absence the burning ends of the wood fell from the stove and ignited the little girl's clothes. The child was heard screaming, and when Amanda returned to the room she found the baby dead on the floor.

Hon. H. S. Boutelle Hurt.

Chicago, Ill., June 27.—Congressman H. S. Boutelle, is suffering from injuries caused by being run down by a bicycle "scorchier" at Grand Boulevard and Forty-third street. He was rendered unconscious by the shock. He was carried to his residence in Evanston and placed in bed. He will be out early this week it is expected.

Execution Date is Fixed.

Middlebury, N. Y., June 27.—The jury in the case of C. H. Burch of Tazewell, Tenn., returned a verdict of guilty of murder, and fixed the penalty at death, August 11 having been set as the day for him to be hanged. Burch was charged with having killed Deputy Sheriff Nat Cloud and John Cagle last August.

Shot Woman, Ended His Own Life.

Chicago, June 27.—In a fit of jealous rage William G. Prentiss, an inventor, formerly of Dayton, Iowa, shot and mortally wounded his wife, Porter, a chambermaid in the Palmer House, and then shot and killed himself.

Postoffice Employee Jumps to Death.

Brooklyn, N. Y., June 27.—During a fit of temporary insanity William H. Connelley, thirty-four years old, jumped from the roof of his house in which he lived, No. 1 Kosciuszko street, and was killed almost instantly.

THE STRIKE COST \$140,000.

Cars Are Beginning to Run Again With Regularity.

Cleveland, O., June 27.—The operation of street cars in this city is gradually assuming normal conditions. There were no mob demonstrations against the few non-union crews which were in charge of cars. Many of the new men are leaving town. Some of them came here with pistols in their pockets, and as soon as the excitement was over they did not want to stay. The company has no contracts that compel it to keep the old men, and probably it will not be very long before the greater part of them will leave. The police will endeavor to prevent a repetition of the disturbances at South Brooklyn, in which the non-union crews were clubbed and pelted with bad eggs. The cost of the strike to the Big Consolidated is estimated at \$120,000 and to the strikers, \$20,000.

Two Men Drowned.

Helena, Mont., June 27.—The Montana river is a terrible torrent as a result of the melting of the snow in the mountains. The Missouri river is higher here than the oldest inhabitant ever saw it. About eight feet of water is passing over the top of the Canon ferry dam near here. A portion of the town of Townsend, twenty miles east of here, is inundated. The Yellowstone is also running bank high. W. H. Sullivan, of Chicago, and W. Lawrence of Kansas City, who started from Big Timber with five others in a small boat, intending to float down the Yellowstone to the Missouri river, and so on to Dakota, were drowned soon after the boat started. The others managed to reach the shore of the raging river.

Smallpox Caused a Riot.

Richmond, Va., June 27.—News has been received from Rocky Mount, on the Norfolk & Carolina Railroad, of a smallpox riot, during which a number of persons were seriously injured. Two negroes, who were attacked by the disease, were ordered taken to the pest-house. Two hundred of their friends, well armed, assembled and swore they would not allow the negroes to be removed. The whites thereupon armed and attacked them, a number of the negroes being badly wounded.

Eight Babies in a Mail Box.

New York, June 27.—The body of a dead infant, the eighth one during the last two months, was found in a package mailed box at the corner of Broadway and Twenty-fifth street. It was wrapped in Manila paper with an outer wrapping of heavier paper, and on the outside was pasted an advertisement similar to that found on the last package in this same box last week. The package was taken to the general post office and subsequently to the Morgue.

Convict Stays in Cell.

Sing Sing, June 27.—Alfred Caesar, a negro convict, who is serving a five-year term for assault, would be a free man now if he had not assaulted one of the keepers in the State Prison. With the regular allowance for good behavior with which he was credited until the assault, Caesar might have had money in his pocket, a new suit of clothes and his ticket for New York. He will now have to serve out his full term.

Girl Discovers a Rich Mine.

Tacoma, Wash., June 27.—Miss F. Flornen, of the Black Hills, South Dakota, has discovered what mining men believe will become the greatest quartz mine in Alaska. It consists of an ore vein from 200 to 600 feet in width and nearly a mile long, intersected by Atlin City. The largest surface assay is \$27, and many assays average \$80, making it much richer than the famous Trevelick mine, if these values continue with the depth.

Congressman Norton's Mishap.

Columbus, Ohio, June 27.—Hon. James A. Norton, of Tiffin, met with a painful, if not serious injury here. Having completed a purchase in a furniture store on High street, he stepped out of the door onto a board walk which broke through and precipitated the doctor violently to the hard stone walk. In falling he struck his left leg on a sharp projection breaking his leg twice below the knee.

Enemies of Dreyfus to Fight.

Remes, France, June 27.—The acquittal of Dreyfus is far from being a certainty. The case against him will be fought to the bitter end, and the trial will last a full week. The slow progress of the cruiser Stax, with Dreyfus on board, is due to the fact that her bottom is foul and she is in great need of docking and cleaning.

Cubans Have Very Poor Schools.

New York, June 27.—The Rev. Sam. W. Small, the evangelist, and at present superintendent of public instruction in the province of Matanzas, Cuba, is in this city. Rev. Small says that the schools are in bad condition, as the teachers know nothing of pedagogical science. After this year English will be introduced.

Golden Hopes for the Jubilee.

Cincinnati, June 27.—The golden jubilee of the North-American Saengerbund will be the most largely attended musical affair ever held in America. The International Saengerfest was organized here fifty years ago. The new hall with a stage capacity of 4,000 and a total capacity of 14,530, was dedicated last Sunday.

Typographical Union Wins.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 27.—Before leaving this city for Chicago, President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, gave it out that the fight on the part of the International Typographical Union to force linotype machinery to join their union instead of the National Union of Machinists would be successful.

Automobiles for Chicago.

Chicago, June 27.—Richard O'Neill, the manager of the North Side Cereite Company, made the announcement last night that the caskets would be replaced by automobiles about Sept. 1. The company has purchased thirty automobiles in Paris.

TO CLOSE THE MILLS.

A Complete Shutdown of the Tin Plate Industry.

WILL MAKE 50,000 MEN IDLE.

The Amalgamated Association Has Made a Demand for 20 Per Cent. Advance in Wage Scale—Matter Is Unsettled.

A Labor Difficulty Far Reaching in Its Importance—All Negotiations Between the Workmen and Employers Have Been Declared Off For the Present.

Pittsburgh, June 27.—The proposed shutdown of all the tin plate industries in the United States is more far reaching in its importance than any labor difficulty that has taken place in this country in many years, and after midnight Friday, according to the announcement, there will not be a wheel turning in any tin plate factory in America. The trouble has arisen by reason of the failure to settle the wage scale at the conference in Chicago, and fully 50,000 persons will be made idle by the shutdown.

The workers' Wage Committee, acting under instructions from the annual convention, held in Detroit last month, demanded an advance of 20 per cent. The present wage scale expired on June 30, and members of the Amalgamated Association are not permitted to work after that date unless the new scale is signed.

About 25,000 skilled workers are members of the association, and as many more are dependent on them and will be idle while the skilled men are unemployed. Nearly 75 per cent of the tinplate workers of the country are employed in western Pennsylvania mills. The scale for the tin house men, or unskilled labor, was arranged weeks ago, and provides for a big advance to some of the workers, and averages nearly 20 per cent. All the tinplate mills in the country are union mills, with but few exceptions. Some of them may continue in operation, but this is improbable.

Secretary Williams, of the Amalgamated Association, stated that all negotiations are off for the present, and that the matter will have to be referred back to the subordinate lodges. Mr. Williams said that the manufacturers offered them an advance, but it was not as much as demanded, and, as the committee had no authority to do anything except what the Detroit Convention decided on the conference was brought to an end. It would be impossible, he said, to refer the matter back to the subordinate lodges this week, much less arrange for another conference. He would express no opinion as to the probable action of the lodges, but it seems to be the general impression that there will be no modification of the original demands.

Silver Republicans Acquitted.

Colorado Springs, Colo., June 27.—In the El Paso District Court the jury acquitted Samuel Emerick, Thomas Clark, William Arnett and Isaac Dagfor, charged with rioting. G. S. Duffield, also a defendant, was released by the court for lack of evidence before the case reached the jury. The defense introduced no evidence. The prosecution showed that Harris, of the attacking party, was killed by a fellow factionist, who, with sixteen others, was in possession of the opera house when the Broad faction of the Silver Republicans, sought admission. All the defendants were Harris' companions.

Officers Home for Rest.

San Francisco, June 27.—Among the arrivals on the steamship Rio de Janeiro from Hong Kong were Capt. N. M. Dyer of the Baltimore, who has been succeeded by Capt. J. M. Forsyth, and is on his way to his old home in Adelaide, a suburb of Boston; Capt. A. N. Walker of the Concord, who has been succeeded by Capt. Seth M. Arkey, and is here on his way to Frankfort, Ky., and Medical Inspector J. C. Wise of the Baltimore, who is going to Washington. These officers have been detached from duty and ordered home to secure much-needed rest.

The President Goes Home.

Adams, Mass., June 27.—President McKinley and party unexpectedly left town last evening. They went by way of the Boston and Albany, West of Pennsylvania, road, to Washington. Mrs. McKinley's health was the cause of the sudden departure. Coming from Holyoke to Springfield by the boat Mrs. McKinley caught cold, and she has not recovered from it. She has been fearing that she was in danger of being seriously ill away from home, an illness cold aggravated her nervous condition.

Came Near Lynching Him.

New York, June 27.—Dudley Smith, a colored desperado, shot and instantly killed Michael Leyden after a few angry words had passed between the two men in a saloon on West Sixty-first street. An angry mob was soon after the colored man and made things so uncomfortable for him that it was necessary for the police to disguise him in a woman's dress in order to keep him from being lynched before they could get the prisoner to the police station.

Third Kidnaped Sentenced.

New York, June 27.—Mrs. Adelle Barrow was arraigned before Justice Werner in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court, on a charge of being one of the kidnapers of the child, Marion Clarke. She pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to a term of twelve years and ten months' imprisonment.

Groom Shot Himself.

Carlisle, Ky., June 27.—W. M. Shannon, who shot himself accidentally Thursday, died of his wound. He was a prominent stock trader, and had been married but a few weeks.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1899.

Gen. Fred Grant has arrived at Manila. Now will the obstreperous Filipinos be good?

In San Francisco alone more than 100 boy babies have been named in honor of Dewey. But how many in honor of Atkinson, Hale or Bryan?

There is a general agreement that Rear Admiral Schley is entitled to the floor and that he ought to demand it unless it is given to him voluntarily.

If there is a genuine riot center in this country, it is the city of Cleveland. Both the law and the record are broken nearly every day in the week out there.

They never have any strikes in the Klondike country except strikes of gold, but of these they have plenty. The gold strike never resulted disastrously to labor.

Mr. Cleveland has never uttered a word about trusts except to observe that public office is a public trust. He has, however, always opposed too frequent changes of trustees.

Reports from various parts of the country show that the explosive soda fountain has already begun its summer campaign. Otherwise the nation is virtually on a peace footing.

Col. Henry Watterson, of America, says that he proposes to remain a democrat on his own terms. Nevertheless, his time schedule will have to be marked "O. K." by W. J. Bryan before it can go into effect.

Canada insists upon having her own way with regard to the Alaskan boundary, no matter whether England and the United States agree to it or not. It has become tolerably clear to impartial observers that Canada is riding for a fall.

Business of all kinds in Hawaii is said to be fairly booming, and the islands are more prosperous than ever before. All of which will be cheering news to everybody except those little 6 x 9 Americans who used to pretend that annexation meant ruin.

OTHER PAPERS' COMMENTS.

Good! If we can't have Admiral Schley in command at the Portsmouth navy yard, let's have Captain Coghlan. New Hampshire will stand by both of these officers.—Nashua Telegraph.

The Nashua Press says: "Governor Rollins advocates an auditorium at Concord with a seating capacity among the thousands. He will subscribe \$1,000 to such an enterprise. The governor evidently fancies that Concord is to be the Mecca to which all mankind is to travel. Well, Concord is a nice quiet, temperate town, where men and women's pocketbooks are as safe as the places in general." To which Editor Davison of the Manchester Budget replies, "And might add, Brother Clough, that at the present time it has more enterprise in all the rest of the state put together."—Concord Monitor.

Dewey was born on the day after Christmas, but he doesn't seem to have been late for anything else.—Newburyport News.

The dispatch sent out from Nashua, N. H., on Saturday about hailstones six inches in circumference is fresh evidence of the truth of the allegations of Gov. Rollins as to the religious delusion of the Granite state.—Haverhill Gazette.

BISMARCK'S IRON NERVE.

Was the result of his splendid health. Inevitably will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of mind and body. Only 25 cts. at the Grocery Co.

BY TELEGRAPH.

DOVER RACES.

Hon. Frank Jones' Horses Win.

DOVER, N. H., June 27.—Some of the best racing ever seen on the Dover track took place today. There were three races, the chief feature being in the 2:14 pace, when Charles Sumner won the second heat in 2:10 1/2. The races were as follows:
2:40 Trot—Kingmond, first; Blaze Away, second. Best time, 2:16 1/2.
2:15 Trot—Tom Boy, first; Little Dick, second. Best time, 2:13 3/4.
2:14 Pace—Charles Sumner, first; Belle Colley, second. Best time, 2:10 1/2.
Kingmond and Tom Boy are owned by Hon. Frank Jones of Portsmouth.

PENNSYLVANIA WINS.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 27.—The four-mile variety boat race between the universities of Pennsylvania and Wisconsin and Cornell and Columbia colleges, on the Hudson this afternoon, was won by Pennsylvania. The race was most exciting throughout. Wisconsin held the lead nearly all of the way, until one-eighth of a mile from the finish, when the coxswain of the crew veered toward the bank and before he could get straightened out the Pennsylvania crew had jumped into the lead and won the race by three-fourths of a length. Cornell was third and Columbia fourth. The time was twenty minutes and forty-five seconds.

HAS REQUESTED LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 27.—There was a report here tonight that Admiral Sampson of the North Atlantic squadron had requested leave of absence for one month after July 1st, Santiago day, on account of ill health, and that Capt. Taylor of the Indiana, as senior officer of the fleet here, will assume command. It is also reported that the cruiser Brooklyn will join the fleet here this week. Admiral Sampson's family is now at Jamestown.

ANOTHER MISHAP TO THE COLUMBIA.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 27.—The Columbia and Defender had another race off Newport this afternoon. The boats made a four-mile beat to windward, when the Columbia sustained a slight accident to her topsail and she put back into Newport, followed by the Defender. The breeze was a strong one and there was little difference in the sailing of the boats, the Defender holding the new boat nearly all the way out.

BASE BALL.

The following is the result of the National league base ball games played yesterday:
Cleveland 1, New York 6; at Cleveland.
St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 4; at St. Louis. The second game was postponed on account of rain.
Pittsburg 4, Boston 3, at Pittsburg.
Yale 3, Harvard 4; at New Haven.

THE MAZURKA IS NO MORE.

BOSTON, June 27.—The two-masted schooner Mazurka, which arrived here a few days ago from Rockland, Me., with a cargo of 1000 barrels of lime, lies on the flats of South bay a complete wreck. She sprung a leak while passing through Fort Point channel on Sunday, and tonight her cargo caught fire and the crew had a narrow escape from suffocation.

THREE DEAD AND ONE DYING.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 27.—Three negroes are dead and one is not expected to live until morning, as the result of a riot between white and negro miners at the ore mines near Cardiff.

SHOT TO DEATH.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., June 27.—John Shephard, the negro rapist, was shot to death today by the citizens of Adamsville and it is reported that three others have been killed.

STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 27.—The strike of the freight handlers along the docks is declared off and the men will return to work unconditionally tomorrow.

GOEDEL NOMINATED.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 27.—In the democratic state convention here today Goedel was nominated for governor on the twenty-sixth ballot.

BOARD OF HEALTH MEN TO MEET.

CONCORD, N. H., June 27.—The New Hampshire Association of Boards of Health will hold a midsummer meeting in this city at the State house on Friday, June 30th. Among the speakers will be Dr. George Cook, Dr. D. J. Sullivan of Concord, Dr. John H. Neal of Rochester and Dr. Lemuel Pope, Jr., of Portsmouth.

A LIGHT SENTENCE.

FREDERICKSBURG, N. J., June 27.—A month ago James Gover is alleged to have found William McNeil in a room with Mrs. Gover, and he stabbed him to death with a butcher knife. Today a jury found him guilty of manslaughter and Judge Van Wart sentenced him to ten days' imprisonment in the county jail.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—For New England: Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday, light southwesterly winds.

AT THE SHORE RESORTS.

The Piscataqua Congregational club will hold its summer meeting at the Farragut house, Rye beach, Saturday. The address will be delivered by the Rev. Edward Anderson of Quincy, Mass.

The Ball cottage at Newcastle is this season to be occupied by Mrs. Josephine Bruce of Boston.

Mrs. Jacob Wendell, Jr., (nee Fendell) of New York, child and nurse, are at the Wendell summer residence in Frost Fields.

The Rev. Russell W. Alger and daughter of Boston are at the Cerro Gordo, Newcastle, for the summer.

The Oxford club of Lynn, Mass., comes to Newcastle Friday for an outing at the Wentworth.

The members of the First Congregational church and Sunday school of Exeter, and their friends, enjoyed an outing at Hampton beach Tuesday. The trip was made on special cars. The party made its headquarters at one of the hotels where, at noon, dinner was served.

In consequence of the large accession of guests at York, it may be assumed that the social functions which ordinarily do not hold sway there before the Fourth will soon be inaugurated. Already the cottages have begun to entertain in a modest manner, giving luncheons, tea parties and progressive evenings.

St. Aspidochelone park will be opened July 4th, with a grand celebration.

Mrs. M. E. Dow has arrived at her cottage at York Cliffs for the season.

J. D. Verbule has arrived at his cottage at York Cliffs for the season.

Charles D. Kinney has arrived at York for the season.

The Mason family has arrived at the Furness cottage on York river.

Gov. Rollins and family and Gen. H. H. Dudley and family leave Concord on Saturday for their summer homes at York Harbor.

Dr. E. A. Stilling of Concord will open his summer home at Little Boar's head, July 29.

THE SUMMER HOTEL BUSINESS.

New Hampshire probably has a larger patronage from summer visitors than any other state in the Union in proportion to its size, and the promise is that the volume and profit this year will exceed that of any other. The season will open next Saturday, July first, when the summer trains will be running and the palatial hotels will welcome their guests, but people who own homes of their own or find accommodations in boarding houses and small hotels began to come more than a month ago and thousands of them are now here to remain until late into the autumn. In a somewhat extensive journey last week we learned that all the great hotels have booked more guests than ever before prior to their opening, and that the smaller establishments are sure of all they can take care of. With favorable weather the season will be a record breaker, as there is every reason why it should be, for money is very plenty, the natural attractions of the state are every year better known and the accommodations offered are constantly extending and improving.—Editor Putney in Manchester Mirror.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers have been elected at the semi-annual meeting of Piscataqua lodge, I. O. O. F.:
N. G., Michael H. Perkins;
V. G., John Gerrish;
R. S., William P. Pickett;
P. S., Oliver H. Locke;
Treasurer, James A. Rugg.

Energy all gone? Headaches Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

ABOUT THE STATE.

An alleged pianist, medium and healer, who advertised himself under the name of Sir Francis Baldwin, late assistant to the Queen, and two musical boxes, after spending two weeks in Nashua, have shipped, leaving creditors and dupes to mourn their absence. It is alleged that he swindled one woman out of \$50, which she drew from the Indian Head National bank and gave him on his promise to cure her rheumatism.

Thomas J. Edison of Orange, N. J., the famous inventor, is in Littleton for a brief visit for pleasure.

Andover has organized an Old Home Week association.

The Fish and Game club of Barton has received 20,000 trout for B. K. K. er's pond.

An adjourned meeting of the New Hampshire Press association will be held at the New City hotel in Manchester, on Friday evening, for the purpose of receiving a report from the special committee appointed to consider the subject of an outing.

David Mason, one of the prominent business men of Bristol, died Monday evening, after a lingering illness, on the eve of his birthday, at the age of exactly 79 years.

The Stratford National bank of Dover will pay a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent to the stockholders July 1.

The Kimball house in Dover was damaged to the extent of \$900 by fire, on Tuesday.

Deputy Sheriff James F. Whitmarsh served writs of attachment upon the property of twenty-six Nashua stockholders in the defunct Union Stockyards' bank of Sioux City, Ia., Monday evening.

The Manchester grocers and butchers all shut up shops Tuesday and enjoyed an outing at Nantasket.

YORK HARBOR.

YORK HARBOR, ME., June 27th. The season has opened most auspiciously, and everything points to one of the most brilliant summers in the history of this popular resort.

The leading hotels are open for the season. The Marshall opened Saturday, the Albrece on Monday. The Harmon house already has permanent guests and nearly all of the cottages are occupied. Many arrivals are expected this week.

The attractiveness of York Harbor in summer is unquestioned. Many improvements have been made, new villas erected, and every comfort utilized for the pleasure of our summer guests.

Elmer E. Staples of Hotel Touraine, Boston, accompanied by Mrs. Staples visited his parents on Saturday and Sunday.

The Fairmount at York Beach is open for the season and has twenty guests at this writing.

Mr. Walter M. Smith and family, of Stamford, Conn., are occupying the Wilcox mansion at the village.

The Passaconaway Inn opens today. Sidney Eldredge made a trip to Boston on Tuesday.

Richard Gould of Newtonville is the guest of John Brooks at "Gordon Hall" at the village.

Mrs. Louise Daniels of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emily Baker.

Fred Bragdon of New York city is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Bragdon.

Mr. Gerald, president of Portsmouth Kittery and York railroad, was in town today.

HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave me great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Globe Grocery Co.'s drug stores every bottle guaranteed.

ORDERED TO COMMAND THE WILMINGTON.

Commander C. O. Allibone, U. S. N., formerly ordnance officer at this navy yard, but recently inspector of the Chicago lighthouse district, has been ordered to command the Wilmington, of the Asiatic station. He has many friends here and intends to keep posted by having the Herald mailed to him at Manila.

REDUCING THE FORCE.

Chief Constructor Hichborn has ordered the various navy yards to keep the force of men down to the lowest notch for the present. Two hundred mechanics were laid off at New York on Monday. The force at this yard will continue as it now stands, excepting the natural discharges.

UNDER THE TROLLEY.

There will be a rush on Saturday. Superintendent Howard is busy preparing the first timetable.

Station Agent Grant and Operator G. E. Wallace went over the line on Tuesday.

On Tuesday afternoon Assistant Superintendent A. E. Howard took Superintendent W. G. Meloon of the Portsmouth, Kittery and York electric railroad over the line, and also all the electricians, and the entire current of the lines was made.

President Tuttle intends to push the road through to North Hampton, if the action of the railroad commissioners is favorable. He was enthusiastic over the thorough manner in which the line has been built. Among the officials of the Boston & Maine railroad who went over the line on Tuesday were: President Lucius Tuttle, Vice President T. A. McKinnon, Second Vice President W. F. Berry, General Passenger Agent D. J. Flanders. All were thoroughly pleased.

MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS.

The supply ship Abarenda arrived at Valparaiso yesterday on her way to Samoa. She left Newport News some time ago, and sailed through Magellan straits on her way to the Pacific.

It is announced at the Navy Department that the Newark will leave Valparaiso about the 5th of July. While it is possible that she may ultimately go to Samoa, at present it is said she will go to Callao.

The Alliance has sailed from Boston to Newport; the Annapolis from Port Monroe to the Delaware river.

The Machias and the floating dry dock sailed from Port Royal for Pensacola.

The Essex has arrived at Newport.

The Panther has sailed from San Juan to League Island.

The New Orleans has sailed from New London to Newport.

HARVARD-YALE RACE.

The varsity rowing event in which New England is taking a keen interest will take place tomorrow.

If the opinions of experts are to be taken, Yale will win. The Yale eight is believed to be the best that has been put into the water since Galludet was the stroke. Their work is reported to be strong and steady, and characterized by great reserve force.

Harvard's crew has plenty of strength and endurance also, say the wise ones, but it is deficient in steadiness. A half mile may be rowed in excellent form, and be followed by a quarter mile of awkward, sloppy work. The unexpected may happen, but purely on their present merits it would seem as if the Yale crew must win, although they will probably be compelled to fight for victory.

FAIRY TALES.

A lady living in Rye, hearing of the appetite which the homely insect known as the "darningneedle" has for mosquitos, conceived the idea of taming one and keeping it as a body guard. By what means the scribe knoweth not, but it is said she succeeded in this, and now the nights are filled with refreshing slumber, and rosy dawn finds no face or arms flushed with the bite of the ubiquitous insect. It is her practice to put the "darningneedle" under the mosquito canopy in the afternoon, and by the time the hour for retiring has come the air is absolutely free from mosquitos.

One of the queer freaks of the Bangor police grist the other day was the drunk who went into a leading hotel and telephoned himself for the patrol wagon. When it came he tumbled in and rode over to city hall to be locked up.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

The survey on the Raleigh has not as yet been approved.

Work on the captured Spanish gunboats is being pushed.

The names of all the employees on the yard with place of birth is being furnished for the register.

Civil Engineer Gregory, U. S. N., has his plans well under way for the expenditure of an immense amount of cash.

The U. S. S. Resolute will go into the dry dock on Wednesday to have her bottom scraped and painted. The dock has been made ready to receive her.

ORGANIZED IN KITTERY.

The Vermont and Boston Copper Mining company, organized at Kittery for the purpose of mining, with \$1,500,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President, A. A. Lamont of Somerville, Mass.; treasurer, E. J. Kraelzer of Somerville, Mass. Certificate approved, June 22d, 1899.

BOULEVARD COMMISSION.

The boulevard commission and Civil Engineer W. J. Dudley met at the Parsons farm at Dow's Point Monday and rearranged the lines for the proposed highway across the farm, as suggested by Professor Parsons. It has been practically decided by the commissioners to start the work of building on the road at Wallis Sands, and construct it as far as possible toward Odiorne's Point.

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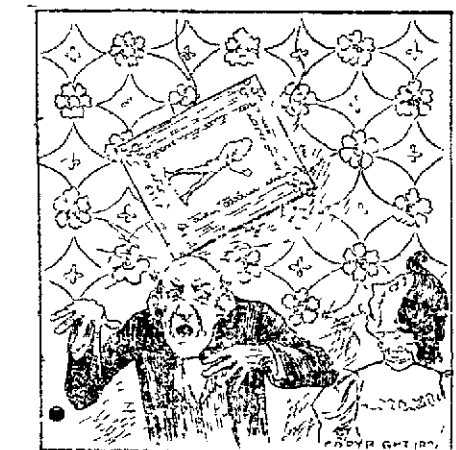
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ELECTRIC VEHICLES.

THE IDEAL POWER FOR AUTOMOBILES IS ELECTRICITY.

New Ideas Being Worked Out Constantly and Weight of Storage Batteries Being Reduced. Its Reserve Power Instantly Available.

The wonderful development of electricity within the past few years, for power purposes, and its great economy, adaptability, and usefulness in that line, as shown by its universal adoption for the propulsion of street railways, also clearly demonstrate its superiority as a constant and readily controlled power for motor vehicles, which are becoming so popular.

While the well known trolley car takes its power through the overhead or underground wires and conductors from an inexhaustible source of electricity, the motor vehicle is limited to the charge of amount it can carry, in consequence of the fact that it is intended to travel in places and over roads where there is no continuous outside supply of electricity. Hence, the means of storing electricity economically in the form of batteries is now one of the problems which is undergoing development.

New ideas are constantly being worked out, and it is confidently expected improvements will continue by which greater efficiency will result. At present, changes have been made whereby a surprisingly large quantity of active material is put into a small space, and this accounts for the greater appearance electric motor vehicles now possess over former designs. It is also a fact that the aggregate weight of battery for the same amount of electricity obtained is less than formerly.

The factor of weight is one of the features in electric vehicles that practical men are working to overcome, and it is said that whenever a storage battery or a system of storing the electric current is invented by which the weight of the battery is greatly reduced, there is certain to be an impetus given to the electric motor vehicle industry such as has never been thought of.

One of the essential requirements in a motor vehicle is that the reserve power shall be instantly available for a brief period of time, as, for example, when heavy grades are met with. In a storage battery this condition is perfectly met, the increase of current demanded being readily given off and accurately measured by the ammeter meter, so that by observing the latter while traveling on an apparently level road one can detect slight grades by the varying position of the ammeter needle.

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AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE.

of one hub by the steering shaft operates the other in the same direction, both moving parallel to each other. This enables the steering to be done very easily.

The carriage frame which supports the springs is built of strong steel tubing, well braced and jointed. The foot brake lever projects slightly above the floor, and has side notches for holding the lever in any position it may be placed. From this lever under the carriage the brake rod extends to a hand brake wheel secured on the rear tubular propelling shaft adjoining the large gear wheel, also keyed on the same shaft. To exclude dust, these are covered by a metal casing which is removed in the illustration for more clearly showing the driving mechanism. An additional safety hand brake is provided, the lever of which will be seen just inside the front seat—identical American.

Some Late Inventions.

Shavers and scissors are to be made with ball bearings, the washer at the end of the connecting lever being cut out on the underside to form a ball race, which not only decreases the wear on the rivet, but securely holds the cutting edges together.

A handy tool for carpenters' use is a nailholder, for starting nails in corners and places where the fingers cannot hold them easily, a steel punch having a pair of jaws attached to its face to grasp the nail and hold it while the hammer is driving it.

Pens can be adjusted at any desired angle in a new holder, which has the pen socket mounted on a ball set in a clamping head, so it can be moved in the position desired and held fast by turning a screw at the opposite end of the holder to lock the jaws in the position.

Ground is easily thawed for mining operations by the use of a new apparatus having a stove mounted on a sled, with a boiler over the firebox, the water being heated and discharged in the form of steam to a thawing chamber, which is placed over the ground to be loosened.

Candidate (who is not making a favorable impression on the meeting)—And now, gentlemen, I ask myself one question—(From the hall)—And a d—illy answer you'll get—Life.

"Joshua fixed our Congressman." "What did he do?" "He wrote to him for \$5 so he could replace the garden seed that didn't grow."—Chicago Record.

TRUTH AND FICTION.

How a Novelist's Romance Was Reproduced in Real Life.

Nature is an unconquerable plagiarist. From fiction. Hardly has some genius conceived a thoroughly original situation than the great mother comes along and vulgarizes it by putting romance into the dull prose of fact. Her latest exploit of this sort has just occurred in Vienna. Dr. Archibald I. Sheffield is an American citizen lately resident there with his young wife, though apparently a Caucasian, his negro blood in his veins. Only his most intimate friends knew of the fact. Whether his wife shared the secret does not appear. At all events everything seems to have gone well until the birth of a son to the young couple—an unmistakable negro pockmarking. This unexpected apparition so frightened the substitution nurse that she ran from the house in horror and alarm, proclaiming that the Prince of Darkness had become incarnate. Negroes are practically unknown in Vienna. The news spread everywhere. Curious crowds flocked to the house to get a glimpse of the "black crown prince." The newspapers decried him. The situation finally became so unbearable that the family were forced to leave Vienna.

Now, the novel from which this episode in real life is stolen is entitled "Mr. and Mrs. George Morton," by Howard Williams, and was published some half a dozen years ago. Henry Morton, the hero, is a young lawyer, apparently a magnificent specimen of the Caucasian race, the adopted son of a distinguished Virginia family, who had never revealed to him anything definite about his parentage. He marries, and in due course, consternation is thrown into the family circle by the birth of a negro infant.

The nurse is the least disturbed of all. She jauntily attributes the phenomenon to the father's long sojourn among the negroes in the ancestral home in Virginia. She does not consider the fact nearly so remarkable as a case of hers, in which the baby had a white like a lobster's, caused, she explained, by its mother having been bitten by a lobster eleven years before the birth of her child. But the physician has a more scientific theory. He divides that some one of Mr. Morton's ancestors, either in the direct or collateral line, was of African origin.

"It is an example," he continues, "of that extraordinary law of inheritance, known as atavism, by which a child does not resemble either of its parents, but reverts to some ancestor more or less remote."

"I see it all," cries the unhappy father. "I must be a white child born of negro parents. That explains it all. My parents are black and I resemble some white ancestor."

This was near the truth, yet not exactly true in the view of the adoptive father of Mr. Morton.

"Mr. Morton's family," he explained when appealed to, is one of those peculiar ones of the African blood, in which white children, called Albinos, are often born. Thomas Jefferson in his "Notes on Virginia," mentions seven instances in which a white child was born of negro parents. Three or four of these cases, he says, came under his personal observation, and he describes them at considerable length, though quaintly enough, under the head of "indigenous animals. Among other writers I can recall a certain Dr. Pritchard, who mentions the case of a negro man who was the father of a white child to a negro mother. This negro, when questioned in regard to the color of his child, said that his own father was white, although born of black parents in a district of the country where white men were never seen."

By a wise provision of the novelist the baby dies after a few weeks' existence, the secret never becoming public.

Best French Father.

According to the terms of a gift of a M. de Reverdy, a prize of 3,000 francs is every second year given to a man belonging to the French class of France, who shall be designated as the best father (le meilleur pere de famille). The report of M. Lucipia, who has charge of the matter, was recently published in Le Figaro. There were 68 candidates for the prize whose families included a total of 466 children, who were nearly all the age of seven to a household. Of the 466 children 169 had died. M. Lucipia comments on the large proportion of survivors, for 30 years ago the rate of mortality was 60 per cent. The present state of health of French children is said to be due to the new hygienic condition instituted by Hausmann and A. Ph. M. and Mme. Vanderbruck, who received the 3,000 francs this year. They have 16 children, of whom 14 are living, five being grown up, six at school and three infants in arms. M. Vanderbruck is a shoemaker, who, with his family, occupies a little house between the avenues of Ixoy and Cholsy at 5, rue de la Chapelle. He is 45 years of age. His wife is described in the report as "being 39 years old, a fine-looking, motherly woman, with a very sweet air, and always smiling." The surviving children in their order of birth are named as follows: Justine, the eldest girl, 22 years; Louis, the eldest boy, 20 years; Mathilde, 18; Constant, 16 years and 6 months; Francois, 15; Jean, 13; Louise, 11; Louis, 10; Irma, 8; Arsene, 7 years and 6 months; Marthe, 6; Maine, 4 years and 6 months; Pierre, 3; and Marie, 14 months. M. Vanderbruck owns the house in which his family lives; it occupies 32 square meters of ground and is one story and a half. The ground floor includes three rooms, a small workshop, a bed chamber, occupied by the worthy couple and their three youngest children, and a large room, which serves as a kitchen, dining-room, and also a work-shop. The second story is divided by board partitions, which do not reach the ceiling, into dormitories, where the older children sleep. And there is not a toy in the house.

A most remarkable wedding has just taken place at a village called Trail, England, four brothers being married to four sisters. The four knots were tied at the home of the four sister brides, who are daughters of a prosperous farmer, named John Hochstetler. Their ages range from 18 to 28, and the ages of their respective husbands vary only slightly. The bridegrooms are the four sons of John Shners, and are energetic young men of good habits and some means.

LORD HERSCHELL'S PROWL.

He Was Fond of Exploring for Fun Around Washington.

Lord Herschell had a fondness for going around and looking at things on his own hook. When he first came to Washington he was driven over the city by numbers of times and shown the points of interest, but he liked the big better, and he took numerous long prowls about the city quite unaccompanied. On one of these occasions he was accosted in front of the Smithsonian Institution by a guide. The guide's manner of making his negatives probably appealed to the Englishman's fancy, for he consented to be shown through the Smithsonian Institution and the National Museum by the name.

A member of the Smithsonian Institution's scientific corps, who was to great distance from the fitted Englishman and the guide as they went around among the exhibits in the two buildings, says that it was difficult to observe Lord Herschell's solemn reception of the guide's misinformation. The guide knew absolutely nothing about the exhibits, but the fashion with which he descended upon them, says the scientist who overheard him, was alarmingly pompous and ridiculous. Lord Herschell listened to the man as if he were "sitting under" some famous lecturer, only occasionally regarding the guide with a sly twinkle in his eye when the wealth of misinformation and tommyrot was flowing particularly free. After an hour or so this spendid Englishman directed the guide and handed him a sovereign from among a number that he fished out of his trousers' pocket, sized up both sides of it and then handed it back to Lord Herschell.

"That's dago money, ain't it, sir?" he asked the member of the High Joint Commission.

"Why, no," replied Lord Herschell. "That's an English sovereign—the equivalent of about \$5 in American money."

"That so?" said the guide. "Well, it don't look just right to me, sir, and I'd rather have the American stuff if you've got it handy."

War's Domestic Uses.

The man was standing on the wharf at a point where he could see into the unpolished depths of the Potomac about two inches. He was gazing down just as intently, however, when the policeman spoke to him.

"Well?" said the officer in that disagreeable questioning tone a policeman seems to think he has a right to assume.

"Thanks, yes," said the man with a wan smile, "about as well as could be expected under the circumstances."

"The officer wasn't expecting that kind of an answer and it threw him off his kiew."

"I mean," he stammered, "what are you looking into that water for?"

"I'm not," smiled the man again, "it's too muddy—too Potomac."

I might say, having used it in my family for washing, drinking and plastering purposes for many years."

"I guess you're all right," said the policeman, changing the subject abruptly. "I don't think I am," confessed the man frankly. "In fact, I know I'm not. My wife and I were just discussing that point before I came down here."

"Well, what are you doing here?" inquired the policeman quite as anxiously as he had made his first inquiry.

"I was thinking what a pity it was that the war with Spain was over."

"Why pity? Everybody's glad of it, I thought."

"I'm not."

"Well, when there was a war, being a right decent sort of a man that makes a rattling good living for my wife, all I had to do to bring her out of her tantrums was to threaten to quit work and go to the front, where the chances of staying while a wilder woman was left at home to scold alone for the sake of the small children couldn't be beat. I say the war was the greatest domestic regulator on earth, but it couldn't last, of course. It would have been too much luck for a man like me. No, sir, it had to quit, and now the best I can do is to tell my wife where I'm going and make a break for it."

At least three miles from home, besides the publicity of it. Good-bye, I guess I'll be going back. If you see anything of a scar woman chattering around here in the course of the next half hour tell her I've gone home, will you, please?" and he moved slowly off toward a street car.

A Mechanical Bricklayer.

The latest device in the way of labor-saving machinery is what is described as a "mechanical bricklayer" for use in "automatically laying, cementing and leveling bricks, slabs, stones and the like in the construction of fortifications, piers, bridges, viaducts, warehouses, dwelling houses and buildings of every description."

Such an apparatus has been patented in Great Britain and abroad by a Birmingham engineer, and his son, who claims that it will save two-thirds of the time occupied in laying bricks by hand.

"The mechanical stoker," says the inventors, "has proved a success—why not a mechanical bricklayer?"

Of course, one result of the contrivance, if it proves a success, will be to reduce the amount of employment to the bricklayer by hand, and for a time at least, to reduce wages.

On the other hand, houses will cost less, and the general public will benefit proportionately, because cheap houses mean cheap rents.

But it will be time enough to think of all these things when the "mechanical bricklayer" starts laying bricks.

A Case of Missplaced Grief.

Miss Spinstor sold her piano in order to buy a bicycle. Miss Spinstor was not musical, and never touched the instrument. But it had been a gift from her father, and when the men carried it away Miss Spinstor was affected to tears. Her maid, Bridgett, tried to console her.

"Sure, mum, I wouldn't take it so much to heart, mum. To be sure, mum, go farther that's dead gone to rest, but niver mind. Nara O'Hanigan, Mike O'Hanigan's wife, that is, who lives around in Dond Horse Alley, has just bought a piano for her Mary, and sure, mum, if they gittin' as common as that, yez don't want a one."

BEARS DO HAVE FUN.

Congressman Mondell's Story of a Tenderfoot's Experience.

A party on a hunting tour in Wyoming several years ago camped one evening at a point eighty-five miles southeast of Cheyenne. A party of five, including the tenderfoot, were in the prairie. It was surrounded by dense woods, with a few scattered spruce, with cold springs and abundant grass for the animals. Here the hunters left the wagon, took supplies on pack horses and went off for a few days' excursion among the range.

The camp was left in charge of a tenderfoot who had no experience in the woods.

It was at midnight, a few days after the party had left, that the camp keeper was wakened by a desperate knock directly over his head. In regular camping fashion he had spread his blankets under the wagon. Creaking forth in great alarm he looked up and saw an immense unknown bear in possession of the wagon, paying no heed to the party's stores. Tenderfoot took one good look; then his traitorous legs got the advantage of him and he rushed madly away into the surrounding scenery. When he felt himself safe as to distance he stopped to get his breath, to hear that bear chucking over his easy victory, he also heard his "snack" as he took a fresh bite now and again, of the delicious sugar-cured hams, or diversified his repast with occasional taste of fresh venison. Tenderfoot was studying what course was best to pursue, and safest as well, and honorably concluded to go back to do what he could to retrieve the situation.

By the time he regained the wagon he found the bear was emptying out of the wagon and the bear was enjoying himself amazingly, prospecting among the various items. Seeing the camp keeper thus looking on, the bear made a rush toward him and the ex-wagonmaster ineffectually forgot all sense of duty and fled.

This was Tenderfoot's first personal acquaintance with a bear. When the bear loomed up in the wagon he had a fearful appearance. Tenderfoot trembled in his boots then, and later, when the bear made at him, he lost his reckoning and naturally followed a backwoods trail that had been used only by Indians and wild animals. His astonishment can be imagined when he jumped against another bear coming down the same trail. This one was young, not much more than half grown and not a graduate of any military academy. The young bear reared, and so did Tenderfoot, but soon as the latter regained his presence of mind he made another burst of speed that took him into the forest. He went on for some distance, and coming after, he climbed a conifer to see what he could see.

He was surprised to find that he was not far from the wagon, as his course had been circuitous. His tree surmounted all the rest. Overlooking the bordering growths he could see the bear, and, throwing the supplies about, helping him to pass to the best there was, then tossing the rest in all directions. When appetite was satisfied they uttered that inarticulate sound which in a bear signifies both satiety and delight. To the man up a tree it sounded better for being at a comfortable distance.

Having laid in full supplies, they began the most ungainly gambols and extravagant performances. They threw sugar-cured hams at each other; used potatoes as shot and shell; clasped and hugged and rolled around that wagon and over that prairie. In fact, they borrowed ideas from Indian life to make travesty of them. One managed to get hold of a green blanket and twisted it about his shoulders; reared on two feet and promenaded about in great shape and exceeding good humor. Then the little one got hold of a red blanket and did the same. It was grotesque beyond words to express; there wasn't enough sill life in it for an artist to work on.

When the performance, the little one got his paw in a twenty-pound can of lard, licked it and liked it; but was not hungry enough to keep at it. The rascal would take a pawful of lard and fling it at the big one. To hold his own the big one got possession of the can and snowballed the other. The lard held out until both were so tired that they lay down. Tenderfoot, on two feet and promenaded about in great shape and exceeding good humor. Then the little one got hold of a red blanket and did the same. It was grotesque beyond words to express; there wasn't enough sill life in it for an artist to work on.

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Always especially attractive for Portsmouth people, will be managed this season by Hon. Christopher E. Ryce, a former and most successful proprietor.

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Makes three trips daily. See time table in another column.

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A very desirable two-story dwelling house of ten rooms situated in Newcastle, N. H., will be rented, furnished, for the season. Property has a good frontage on the harbor and is admirably situated for a summer home.

Price and other particulars may be obtained of J. M. Meloon, Newcastle, or at

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THE HERALD.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1906.

PRESENTATION.

About fifty employees in the stitching room at the shoe factory, shopmates of Mrs. Jos. E. Card, nee Hobbs, called on that lady at Kittery Point on Tuesday evening, going down on a special electric car. The visit was a surprise, as it tended, but the visitors soon had their newly-married friend entirely at their ease and an evening of rare enjoyment followed. In order that the visit should be substantially remembered and as evidence of the esteem with which she is held by her shopmates, Mrs. Card was presented with a dozen solid silver teaspoons and a beautiful silver sugar shell. The donors were feelingly thanked by the recipient of these elegant gifts.

During the evening Mrs. Card served most tempting refreshments, and the occasion was one long to be remembered by all concerned.

ON THE ROAD TO RECOVERY.

Ethel Frothingham, the nine-years-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frothingham, of Sparhawk street, who has been dangerously sick with pneumonia, was out on Tuesday for the first time in four months and passed the day with her grandmother, Mrs. Yeaton, of Dearborn street. The little girl, who is a most winsome child, was thought for several weeks to be beyond recovery, and only by the most watchful and tender nursing, and the constant attention and skill of Dr. Berry, her physician, has she been able to pass through the ordeal. She is yet very weak and being unable to walk, the little outing of Tuesday was possible only by the use of a carriage. The many friends of Ethel and of her parents are rejoiced that her recovery seems now assured.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of Charles Gotham was held at the family residence in North Kittery at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. D. F. Faulkner, pastor of the Second Methodist church, officiating. The burial was in Harmony Grove cemetery in this city, the funeral director being Undertaker O. W. Ham. A delegation of Odd Fellows accompanied the remains to their last resting place.

The funeral of Marshall A. infant son of Ex-Chief Engineer and Mrs. John D. Randall, was held from their home on Court street at 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. George W. Gile officiating, and was private. Interment was in Proprietors' cemetery by Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

PROMOTIONS IN THE MARINE CORPS.

At the marine barracks at the navy yard on Tuesday the following promotions in the marine corps there were announced:

Corporals Audenberg and Howard promoted to sergeants. The former is the well known orderly on the ferry-boat 132; privates Jacob, Harvey, Ryan, White, Myers, Brennan and Wilson promoted to corporals.

NOTICE.

I wish to announce that I have leased rooms in Mechanic's block, No. 39 Congress street, and furnished them especially for testing and fitting eyes. If you are troubled with your eyes or glasses, call and see me. All testing strictly private. Examination free of charge.

Respectfully,

C. F. HRSKEY,
Graduate Optician

WILL COMMAND THE DETROIT.

Commander J. N. Hemphill will be detached from command of the cruiser Buffalo, when placed out of commission, and ordered to take command of the cruiser Detroit, relieving Commander J. H. Dayton, who is ordered home and placed on waiting orders. The transfer of commands will take place August 1st.

GIVEN A FREE RIDE.

By the kindness of the B. & M. R. R. one hundred and sixty three children from the City Mission of Manchester were given a free ride to York beach today. A few of the parents accompanied the children. The party came down this morning at 10:10, in special cars attached to the regular train.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, hoarseness, cuts, wounds of every sort.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascara Candy. Cascara Candy constipation solver. 10c. Sold at all C. C. C. full drug stores (and money)

The best of all Pills are BEECHAM'S.

CONTEST ENDED.

Herald Newsboys Strove For
Good Prizes.

THE TRIO WHO WON

Are Masters Lucy, Hawes
and Wiley.

The Herald newsboys' contest has ended. The prize winners are Fred Lucy, William Hawes and Freddie Wiley. Each of the first two receives a valuable bicycle named "Herald," and the third gets a first-class camera.

The boys have all striven hard during the weeks of the contest, and the Herald wishes it could award each of them a substantial prize.

Young Lucy clinched his lead Saturday by taking out three or four times as many papers as any of his comrades and selling them all readily. But for this spirit, one or two of the other contestants would have given him a close run.

Those youngsters who were not fortunate enough to secure a prize succeeded in disposing of hundreds of papers apiece, and did not give up the race, even at the last minute.

The individual sales, outside of those scored by the trio of prize winners, ran from nine hundred down.

The contest has been most successful, and it is not at all unlikely that the Herald may in the near future institute another.

The prizes will be awarded tonight.

PHILBRICK-AYERS.

One of the prettiest home weddings of the month took place on Tuesday afternoon when Goodwin E. Philbrick and Miss Georgiana Louise Ayers, both of this city, were united in marriage, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ayers, on Middle street.

The groom is one of the city's leading druggists and with his bride have been most prominent in social circles.

The wedding took place at 5:30 o'clock, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. George E. Loughton, the new pastor of the Universalist church, in presence of the immediate relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom.

The bride's wedding dress was a handsome white brocaded silk with a tulle veil, held in place by a pearl crescent, and she carried a bunch of bride's roses and maiden hair ferns. She was attended by her sister, Miss Katherine Ayers, as bridesmaid. The latter wore a toilet of white Swiss mull with lace insertion. Following the ceremony the happy couple held a short reception and received the congratulations of their friends.

A fine wedding lunch was served, B. A. Rich catering, with the aid of a competent corps of waiters.

After the guests were presented the bride retired to her room to dress for her wedding journey, and soon reappeared in a handsome traveling costume.

Mr. and Mrs. Philbrick departed on the evening train for a tour through the mountains expecting to be absent about ten days.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents which the guests were permitted to view after the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Philbrick have hosts of friends in this city, and one and all unite in wishing them years of unalloyed happiness.

POLICE COURT.

Mrs. Helen Kilroy, who lives in the the Condon house near the Creek bridge, was arraigned before Judge Emory this morning, for keeping malt and spirituous liquors for sale. She pleaded guilty, and was fined fifty dollars and costs on the spirituous charge and ten dollars and cost on the malt. She promptly settled. The police made the liquor seizure at her house Tuesday afternoon.

The two young fellows who were arrested Monday night for evading their fare on the eleven o'clock Bar Harbor ferry pleaded guilty this morning. They were each fined five dollars and costs, amounting to thirteen dollars. There is little likelihood of their paying.

HE MAY COME HERE.

A United States internal revenue inspector of the Boston district paid a visit Tuesday, incidentally investigating certain stocks of cigars which are overweight, or which it is suspected have not fully paid the full government tax required by law. The factories implicated are in the neighborhood of Boston. This does not reflect upon local dealers who are innocent purchasers.

CITY BRIEFS.

Fell us not in mournful numbers
Life is but an empty dream.
When the ripe strawberry slumbers
In a bed of golden cream.
When the people of that same savor
Revels in its annual bloom
And the ice cream bears its flavor
And the shortcake is in bloom.
—Denver Post.

The summer hotels are opening their doors.

The early gardeners are eating native cucumbers.

The new water rates and rules will be issued this week.

And still the farmers are longing for a good rain storm.

The small boy is about due on all too soon snap cracker firing.

Many from this city went to Dover today to take in the races.

Fifty and twenty five cent novels for ten cents at F. C. Marston's.

Reduced rates to Dover this week on account of the big race meet.

Don't delay any longer the making of your plans for the glorious Fourth.

Nothing better after a hearty meal than one of Dowd's Honest Ten cent cigars.

How much sweeter are our own strawberries from the New Hampshire fields.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's,) No. 1 Congress street.

Hon. Frank Jones' horses Tom Boy and Kingmond won two races at Dover yesterday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

The "S. G." London is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

The races at the Granite State park are attracting good-sized crowds. They continue until Friday.

Many a good man has sworn this week because he hadn't posted himself on the new time table.

Jones—"Are the mosquitoes very thick up in your neighborhood?" Bones—"No, they're long and thin."

The county commissioners held a meeting here on Tuesday and talked over several important matters.

Manager E. M. Fisher of the Western Union Telegraph company has leased the Loughton house on State street.

Have your shoes repaired by John W. Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a specialty.

The Odd Ladies were entertained by Mrs. B. F. Parker at her home on Cabot street on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Don't forget to examine the Spalding chainless bicycle. It is the best mechanically and the easiest running chainless built. Try it.

Among the recent changes in pensions appears the following: from New Hampshire. Reissue and increase, Anthony Berry, Portsmouth, \$6. to \$12.

Moses Bedell of High street, a section hand on the Boston & Maine railroad, had his right hand badly crushed while unloading a car load of ties on Tuesday.

Arrived with coal for J. A. & A. W. Walker, steamer Chas. F. Mayer, Machow, 1500 tons, from Baltimore, and barge No. 12, Craig, 1633 tons, from Baltimore.

Chief Engineer Sullivan and his associate officers will take the usual precautions to guard against fire on the night preceeding the Fourth and on the Fourth of July.

Up to date seven towns have made partial or final arrangements for Old Home week, and two more towns, Stoddard and Goffstown, perfected arrangements Tuesday night.

A little addition has been made to the old saying that half a loaf is better than no bread, by a Portsmouth man, who adds, "but a small dish of strawberries is worse than none at all."

A man with nothing on but his underclothes, was seen running up State street shortly after eleven o'clock on Tuesday evening. Where he came from or where he went is a mystery.

OBITUARY.

Frederick Harnden.
Frederick Harnden died this morning at his home, 71 Pleasant street, aged 45 years, 10 months and 17 days. He leaves a wife. The deceased had been ill for a long time. He was a painter by trade and was well known.

VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS.

Aro grand, but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also Old, Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Globe Grocery Co.

THE DOVER RACES.

Harness Meet Opens Successfully at
Granite State Park.

The four days' harness meet, the first on the New England mile circuit, commenced at the Granite State park Tuesday, under most auspicious conditions. The weather was perfect for the sport and the track, always good, was never in better shape than it is at present. The footing is the best in its history.

The crowd was large, remarkably so for an opening day, and must have numbered fully 800 people, more than one-third of whom were members of the fair sex. There were horsemen present from Philadelphia, New York, and all parts of New England, Boston being especially well represented. The racing was exceptionally good, the time made being remarkable when one takes into consideration that many of the horses have not been started before this season.

The racing commenced promptly at one o'clock, A. H. Merrill of Drovers acting as starter, and Scott Locke of Concord and Joseph Churchill of Vermont as judges.

The first race called was the 2:40 trot, Kingmond, one of Frank Jones' string, sold as favorite in the pools for \$15, the field bringing the same money. Tom Marsh was up behind the son of King Darlington and easily landed him a winner in three straight heats, with scarcely an effort Blazeaway taking second money, Wasco third and Oscar fourth.

In the 2:15 trot, Marsh again uncovered the winner and fooled the talent. Tom Boy sold in \$75 and \$80 for \$6, \$7 and \$8. Ben H. sold as favorite in this race, with Zembia second choice.

Tom Boy, under the skillful rein of Marsh, stepped to the wire a winner in the next three heats and landed first money and applause from the grand stand. Little Dick took second; Ruby, third, and Ben H., fourth.

In the next race, the 2:14 pace, the talent were again a trifle off. Daniel sold as favorite in this race for \$25, with Charles Sumner a second choice, selling at \$15. The race proved an easy thing for Sumner, who won in straight heats, after the first, which was captured by Belle Colley. In the second heat Daniel showed a great burst of speed, going the half at a 2:05 clip and finishing under the wire just a nose behind Sumner. Many people who had their money on the little mare became suspicious that Driver Potter was pulling her to avoid a mark and a protest was entered at the judges' stand. As a result of this, Mr. Potter was taken from his sulky and Tom Marsh put up behind Daniel. Mr. Marsh, however, was unable to do any better with the gamey little mare than Mr. Potter, finishing sixth in the third heat. All suspicions were at once removed from the minds of the judges, and Mr. Potter was immediately reinstated.

The results:
2:40 trot, purse \$300—Lingwood, first, Blazeaway, second; Wasco, third. Best time, 2:16 1/2.

2:15 trot, purse \$500—Tom Boy, first; Little Dick, second; Ruby, third. Best time, 2:13 3/4.

2:14 pace, purse \$500—Charles Sumner first; Belle Colley, second; Kelyvin third. Best time, 2:10 1/2.

GERRISH ISLAND FORTIFICATIONS.

Work on the Government fortifications at Gerrish Island, which was abandoned last November when cold weather came, is again under way, and it is probable that all future work will be done in the summer only. The plan, as outlined for this point, is to build concrete embankments seventy feet thick in front of the two ten-inch disappearing guns; also pits for a battery of eight mortars. A pier and railroad for the handling of the stone and other material to be used in the construction was built this last spring. The pier was run over 500 feet from the island. Those in a position to know state that it will take from four to six years to complete the work.—Manchester Union Correspondence.

OILING THE ROADBED.

The oil train of the Boston and Maine railroad, which is distributing oil on the roadbed, has sprinkled as far as Beverly and was at work on the Gloucester branch Tuesday.

The road between Somerville and Beverly, was oiled Sunday, two oil sprinkling trains having made several trips between the two cities. Roadmaster French and other officials were on the trains all day long and expressed themselves as satisfied with the results.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the semi-annual meeting of De-mon lodge, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected:

C. C. Marcellus Fernald.
V. C. Harry Susman.
Prelate, T. L. Hersey.
Master of Work, A. J. Phinney.
Master at Arms, Jacob Drinkwater.

SHOTS WITH A HERALD KODAK.

John Gault, formerly of this city, and now teaching in Manchester, has gone on a fishing trip up among the hills of Ep-som along with J. Warren Thyng, professor of drawing in the Manchester schools, and Frank Sutcliffe, another Manchester instructor. They form a jolly trio and will have a good time whether they hook any fish or not.

Herbert F. Norris, manager of the Boston office of the American Press association, a former practitioner of the New Hampshire bar and candidate for Congress in the Second New Hampshire Congressional district, was married on June 20, at Roxbury, Mass., to Miss Emma Robbins of that place. "Herb" is a native of New Hampshire and commenced his journalistic climb in this state. His scores of friends from Portsmouth to Dixville Notch all extend congratulations.

Captain M. F. Peterson of the China navy passed through this city Tuesday on his way to his old home in Belfast, Me. He has been away thirty-two years. He has seen much service in the China navy, having been an active participant in the China-Japan war. Twenty-nine years ago he sent his family to California from China to educate his children. Since that time he has not seen any of them until he arrived in California on March 5. He said he could scarcely recognize his only son, who is now 29 years of age. For thirty years he has been a resident of China, but has only obtained a smattering of the language. For the last few weeks he has been visiting relatives in New York, and after a short visit to his old home he will return to California and to his duties in China.

RATIFIED THE APPOINTMENT.

Gilman Greenough, the well-known Jacksonian Democrat of Atkinson, has been appointed a deputy sheriff, and Sheriff John Fender, President Herbert B. Dow of the County Republican club, Arthur Hoyt, Moses E. Dow and other well-known Republicans of Rockingham county, gathered at his home Monday evening to ratify the appointment. A feast was enjoyed and a most pleasant time was reported.

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